MISLETOE.

NAMES.

A. دبق
G. Ἰξός.
L. Viſcus.
I. Viſchio.
G. Miſtel.
F. Gui.
S. Muerdago.
D. Maaren-takken

PARTS USED.

Wood and Leaves.

PREPARATIONS.

None.

PLACE.

Upon Trees of various kinds, but ſeldom on the Oak.

TIME.

Bloſsoms in April: The Berries ripe in December.

DESCRIPTION.

Is a Plant that groms in Joints (at which 'tis easily broken) The Wood is pliant and tough, coverd with a light Green Bark. The Leaves which grow by Pairs at the Joints, are the same Colour, thick, fleshy, with some Veins running lengthways. At the Joints at the Bottom of the Leaves, grow the Bloſsoms, which are more Yellow than the Leaves, composed of four small thick Parts; which are succeeded by White Berries, each having five small Black Spots on the Top, and one Seed within it, of a greyish Colour, with some Spots upon it. The Plant 5; the Berries 2; Seed 3; Bloſsoms with Leaves 1; Sideways 5; the Top 6.

VIRTUES.

It is accounted a Good Cephalic, and useful in Convulsion-Fits, Palsy, &c.

T. Sheldrake delin. *C.H. Hemerick sculp.*